

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS.
To the Democracy of the Ninth District: I am a candidate for Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party, and respectfully solicit your support. I will call on you in due time, and will fully appreciate any service you may render me in the canvass.
Very truly yours,
J. D. KEOH.

We are authorized to announce that HON. GARRITT S. WALL is a candidate for Congress in the Ninth Congressional district at the November election, 1886, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.
We are authorized to announce that HON. A. E. COLE of Fleming County, is a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Circuit Court in this Judicial District at the August election, 1886, subject to the action of the Democratic party by convention or otherwise.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.
We are authorized to announce that Z. T. YOUNG, of Rowan County, is a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in this Judicial district, subject to the will of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES H. SALLIS is a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney, in the Fourteenth Judicial District, subject to the will of the Democratic party.

January Election, 1886.

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce that W. C. SAILER is a candidate for Mayor of the City of Mayville, at the January election, 1886.

At the solicitation of many friends, I announce myself as a candidate for Mayor at the January election, 1886. No money will be used by me to "beat" or corrupt voters. If elected, I pledge faithful performance of the duties of the office. Your support and influence are respectfully solicited.

THOMAS A. DAVIS.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. E. PEARCE, Jr., is a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing January election.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

We are authorized to announce that JOHN N. THOMAS is a candidate for Councilman from the Third Ward, at the ensuing January election.

We are authorized to announce that HUGH F. HANSON is a candidate for Councilman from the Fourth Ward, at the ensuing January election, 1886.

We are authorized to announce that THOS. J. CHENOWETH is a candidate for re-election to the office of Councilman from the Second Ward, at the January election, 1886.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. T. LOWRY is a candidate for Councilman in the Fourth Ward, at the January election.

We are authorized to announce that Dr. W. M. MOORE is a candidate for Councilman, in the Second Ward, at the January election, 1886.

FOR COLLECTOR AND TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce that R. H. NEWELL is a candidate for City Collector and Treasurer, at the next January election.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. C. SHULTZ LEACH is a candidate for City Collector and Treasurer, at the ensuing January election.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. ROBERT A. COLEMAN is a candidate for the office of Collector and Treasurer of the City of Mayville, at the ensuing January election.

FOR WHARFMASTER.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. G. M. PHISTER is a candidate for re-election to the office of Wharfmaster, at the January election, 1886.

FOR MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES REDMOND is a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the January election, 1886.

We are authorized to announce that JAMES REFLIN is a candidate for City Marshal at the January election, 1886.

We are authorized to announce that HENRY HANSON is a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing January election.

FOR CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. HARRY TAYLOR is a candidate for re-election to the office of City Clerk, at the ensuing January election.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. JAMES K. LLOYD is a candidate for re-election to the office of City Assessor, at the ensuing January election.

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SMITH'S KIDNEY TONIC--TRY IT.

ALL EYES ON PARNELL.

THE GREATEST ANXIETY FELT AS TO HIS TACTICS.

He Will Wait Until He Has His Forces Thoroughly Drilled Before He Strikes for Victory--The Crofters--Faithless Fighters--Foreign Votes.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The greatest anxiety is felt just now as to the tactics that will be adopted by Mr. Parnell, in renewing the fight for Home Rule. Everybody has assumed hitherto that he would attempt to force the fighting at the very opening of the new parliament. His first opportunity to bring up the subject for debate will be, when the government presents to the house its draft of the address to the queen in reply to the speech from the throne. It has generally been supposed that Mr. Parnell would seize this opportunity to move an amendment to the address in favor of Home Rule for Ireland. He could hardly expect to have the amendment adopted, unless it were couched in such mild terms as to make it worthless, but in the debate he could force some of his opponents to show their hands, and by the division he could count his friends and enemies.

It is now known, however, that this programme is not likely to be adopted. The main objection to it, from Mr. Parnell's standpoint, is that it would compel him to unmask his batteries before he could have his allies organized and drilled. One of Mr. Parnell's most prominent lieutenants said to the correspondent that while waiting is definitely settled, Mr. Parnell will probably play a waiting game for a time after the opening of the session. Just at first, party strife will not run high and the two British parties, it is challenged at the outset, would be united by the English prejudices against Ireland which is common to both. But there are a dozen subjects of British and foreign legislation on which the party lines will be strictly drawn and stubbornly defended.

Then, when British political animosity is in full swing, Mr. Parnell will negotiate with both sides. In the heat of their partisan zeal both will doubtless promise far more to Ireland than they would in cooler blood, and whichever will give the larger measure of justice will have Mr. Parnell's support. It is seen that the Parnellite strength in the new parliament will be virtually one hundred. The solid phalanx of Parnellites proper, bound by oath to vote as the majority decides, lacks but fourteen of that number. This deficiency is fully made up by old allies of Mr. Parnell and by other Liberals, whose narrow escapes from defeat have emphasized to their mind the power of the Irish vote.

A new and interesting land reform movement is about to be started in Scotland. Its originator is Dr. B. Clark, who has just been elected for Cathness as a Crofter candidate. Dr. Clark is a member of the staff of the Central News of London, and has written extensively on the rights and wrongs of the Crofters. He was nominated without his solicitation and began writing an election address. He has given no personal attention to this canvass. This election fooled the Liberals and as they were split up in factions in Cathness each faction ventured to put up a candidate. There were thus three Liberals running against Dr. Clark, and while he did not obtain a majority over all, he did obtain an ample plurality over the highest candidate. Now that he is elected Dr. Clark proposes to devote himself energetically to the cause of the crofters. He is already at work organizing a Highland party to secure reforms for Scotland similar to the Irish Land act. This new party will be allied on all Irish questions with the Parnellites and will be a valuable auxiliary in the fight for Home Rule.

Neither the Bulgarians nor the Servians have faithfully observed the terms of their short truce. It was known some days ago that the Bulgarians were strengthening the Widdin garrison and now it is ascertained that reinforcements have been steadily but secretly sent to King Milan's army. The king hopes for a rapid and decisive success in the field, but he makes the mistake of supposing the Bulgarians have been seriously weakened by their earlier reverses. On the contrary, they have had ample time to recuperate, and are now stronger, more united and more confident than ever.

Up to yesterday the powers expressed unshaken belief in their ability to prevent a renewal of hostilities. News came that the Servians had resumed the offensive and were defeated in three attacks on the Bulgarian outposts. The most serious question now is whether the war can be localized. The latest Russian story to the detriment of England is that Lord Salisbury has secretly secured the cession to Great Britain of Bulgaria, the most important seaport in Eastern Roumelia. The story as told in the Russian papers is that the city and its fine bay have been given by Bulgaria with the consent of Turkey as a reward in advance for the continued support of Bulgaria in view of certain contingencies which are likely to arise. It is impossible to say that the story is untrue. The object of its publication was to stimulate the animosity of the Russians against both England and Turkey.

Insane Informer.

DUBLIN, Dec. 12.—John Kelly, the laborer, who recently gave himself up at Drum Condra, a village two miles north of Dublin, asserting that he was an incendiary and who was identified as "Joe" Smith, the informer in the Phoenix Park murder trial, has been pronounced insane and committed to an asylum "to await her majesty's pleasure."

The Coward Caves.

VIENNA, Dec. 12.—A dispatch received dated at Belgrade, states that King Milan has declared that he will abide by the decision of the powers, if compatible with the interest and dignity of Serbia.

After a Conference.

DUBLIN, Dec. 12.—The Earl of Carnarvon, lord lieutenant of Ireland, left for London for a conference with Lord Salisbury and other members of the Tory cabinet on the political situation.

BLOODY ROMANCE.

"This is the Last Act of a Tragedy Begun Years Ago."

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 12.—About two weeks ago the fact that Frank Sanders had been shot down in the mountain wilds of Whitley county was gleaned here from citizens coming from that county. A man who lives here has just returned from a visit to Whitley county, and he brings news of the romance of which that killing was the sequel.

He says that the tradition in Whitley county is that just before the close of the war Sanders and two other men, all of whom were members of a guerrilla band, took a Sam Snook, in the eastern part of Whitley county, out in the woods and put a pistol between his eyes and fired. Snook fell, and they left him for dead.

Fortunately for Sam the ball ranged downward, missing the brain and came out at the base of his neck. He was found and cared for by friends and after long nursing recovered. The man who attempted the murder did not try to conceal his identity from Snook. They wanted him to know them.

After Snook's recovery, he registered a terrible oath that he would devote his life to hunting down and killing these three men. A few weeks ago, he passed through Wayne county and in conversation with one of his old friends, said:

"I have killed two of the men who attempted to murder me years ago. I found one of them in Missouri and one in Garrard county, Kentucky. I did my work silently and well, and have never been even arrested. I am now on the track of the last man. His name is Sanders, and I will have him in less than ten days. I will make myself known to him before shooting him."

One week later the body of Frank Sanders was found in a lonely path in the glens of Whitley county, with the following note scribbled in pencil, pinned to his coat: "This is the last act of a tragedy begun years ago." No one doubts that Snook did the killing. He has not been seen since and no one is taking any pains to find him.

CINCINNATI STRIKE.

The Manufacturers Accused of Playing a Bluff Game.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.—The striking shoe cutters say that the manufacturers are trying to play a game of bluff, in declaring their shops open. The shops have been open since they went out, and if the manufacturers could have filled them they would have done so long before now. The reason the cutters did not obey the district assembly of the Knights of Labor, is because that body has no jurisdiction over them. They are as ever, and deny that there is any discussion in their ranks.

The only man cutting in the shops which the strikers have left is David Hamilton, at Stribley's. The man has never been a member of Jackson assembly. The strikers claim that Louis and Otto Breuer, of Krippeford's, are visiting them at their home in the evening trying to induce them to go back to work. There will be a meeting of the shoemakers, the manufacturers, Grand Master Workman Powderly, and D. H. Drake, chairman of the executive committee of the district assembly, Knights of Labor, at the board of trade rooms.

A COMPROMISE.

The Madison Students Taken Back—Female Students Want Trial.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 12.—There has been a compromise in the wholesale suspension of students at the university. The boys were reinstated and President Bascom said that if Lieut. Lonia, the professor of military tactics, would accede the students should be reinstated. Lieut. Lonia, after a consultation with the suspended students, agreed to the proposition, and they will resume their studies.

A sensation was created at the university by the report that quite a number of young women students had become liable to suspension by signing a petition asking for better board at their hall. The report last June abolished the right of petition and made an offense punishable by suspension in case it was resorted to.

A member of the executive committee of the board of regents denied that the female students of that institution had petitioned the regents for better board and were liable for suspension.

QUIET IN UTAH.

"There is Nothing New from the City of Saints."

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—"There is nothing new from the city of saints," said Gen. Schofield in answer to a reporter's inquiry; "everything is very quiet, as it has been for a week."

"Are any additional troops quartered at the city now?"

"Nothing," says the battery, which was ordered there from Omaha, that is at Fort Douglas. There is a company quartered in the city ready to act in case of emergency, but that was sent from the regular force at Fort Douglas. I think the excitement is about over, although I can not, nor can any one, say how long the present serene condition of things may last."

"Is Deputy Sheriff Collin still at Fort Douglas?"

"That I cannot say; but I presume he would under the circumstances remain in what he must ere this have concluded was a safe retreat."

Schooner Abandoned.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 13.—The maritime exchange in this city is advised that the schooner Joshua B. Bragdon, owned by Welch, Humphreys & Company, of Boston, was abandoned in latitude 37 degrees longitude 74. The vessel sailed from this port on December 3, for Savannah, with a cargo of fertilizer, valued at \$11,000 shipped by the Chemical company of Canton. No further particulars.

Come Dwell.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Charles H. Fisher, engineer in chief of the New York Central railroad, has been mentally unbalanced for some weeks. The news of Mr. Vanderbilt's death drove him into a violent stage of insanity, and he was taken to Poughkeepsie asylum. His case is pronounced incurable. He was considered one of the best railroad engineers of the country.

GREAT SPECULATIONS.

THE COMMITTEE ON RULES WILL BE LATE WITH THEIR LABORS.

The Vital Question is Who Will Be at the Head of the Principal Committees. The Re-Elected and Aspirants. Presidential Gossip--National.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—A great deal of speculation is indulged in at the capitol about the action of the committee on rules. A large majority of members seem to think that the Morrison scheme of amending the rules and distributing the appropriation bills will be reported with inconsequential amendments. In any event it is the impression that the rules will be so amended that the work will not be completed before the end of next week, and that the announcement of the committee will be deferred until after the holidays.

So general is the belief that the proposition to distribute the appropriation bills will ultimately prevail that much gossip is being indulged in, as to who will be at the head of the principal committees that will have appropriation bills to consider. Of course, the speaker in selecting chairman of these committees will seek experienced men and will, as far as possible, draw from the committee on appropriations.

Only five of the Democratic members of that committee in the last congress were re-elected to this congress. They are Mr. Randall, the chairman of the committee, and member of the sub-committees on the sundry, civil, naval and deficiency bills; Mr. Forney (Als.), of the military and sundry civil sub-committee; Mr. Holman (Ind.), of the legislative, executive and judicial and post office sub-committee; Mr. Townsend (Ill.), of the postoffice and military academy sub-committee, and Mr. Burrows (Mo.), of the consular and diplomatic and deficiency sub-committee.

The general impression is that in the event the scheme to distribute the appropriation bills prevails, Mr. Forney will be made chairman of the committee on military affairs; Mr. Holman, Indian affairs, and Mr. Townsend, postoffice and post roads. Mr. Blount (Ga.) is an aspirant for the chairmanship of the naval committee, as are also Messrs. Wise (Va.), McAlister (N. J.), Hewitt (N. Y.), and Balantyne (Tenn.). It is believed too, that Mr. Randall would like the naval committee, especially if the work of strengthening the navy as likely to be begun during this congress.

Mr. Burrows (Mo.) aspires to the chairmanship of foreign affairs, and in the event of the distribution of the appropriation bills he may secure it, although Mr. Belmont's right to the chairmanship of this committee will not be ignored by the speaker should it be decided to change Governor Curtin, who is now the chairman. The committee on rules informally discussed the various propositions this morning and agreed to meet tonight and if possible discuss a report in order to submit it to the house.

Presidential Gossip.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The president did not withhold any of his message in order to reduce its length, and he has not laid parts of it aside, reported to have been chopped out, to be submitted to congress on some future occasion. The message was not begun until after the president's visit to Buffalo, and all the writing was done at night after the president had received visitors on business and conversed with heads of departments upon the advance reports which they had furnished him of the condition of affairs in the several branches over which they preside.

That part of the message upon the tariff was read to Mr. Carlisle several days before it was made public, and the speaker expressed his satisfaction with it. Mr. Westerson was allowed to hear the passage read on Monday night, and he expressed his satisfaction with it, although he is understood to have modified his approval since.

The gossip about the differences of opinion in the cabinet about the treatment of the tariff and other subjects, and the assertion that the president overruled the opposition of several of his advisors, is pronounced to be utterly groundless. The president is very much gratified with the reception of the message by the press generally. He looked for criticism, but scarcely expected so much praise as he has received from many journals speaking for the party opposed to him.

A Senate Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The Republican senators met in caucus and discussed the question of presidential appointments, the object being, if possible, to agree upon a plan of procedure in order that the various committees might be able to work more intelligently, when the different nominations came before them for action. The matter was very generally discussed, but owing to the diversity of opinions, no definite line of action was agreed upon. The caucus also devoted some time to the subject of committee membership, and Mr. Sherman tendered his resignation as chairman of the committee on the library, which place the caucus committee had previously agreed should be tendered to Gen. Sewell.

After Smugglers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The collector of customs at New York has been directed by Assistant Secretary Fairchild to send a customs inspector aboard the United States steamer Junatta to ascertain the accuracy of the information that twenty of her officers have concealed on that vessel a large and valuable collection of dutiable articles, and to take such action as the customs laws may require.

The President's Offer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Star's Washington special says that the president has offered to Mr. Hughes East an office of equal dignity and compensation with that lately occupied by him as private secretary to Vice President Hendricks.

The North American Union of Radicals, with headquarters in Milwaukee, has issued a memorial to congress, asking that the constitution be so amended as to abolish the office of president, and vest the executive power of the government in an executive council to be chosen by congress.

A LAW QUESTION.

The Actors and Law and Order League in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.—In the police court the cases of Oliver Doud Byron, J. J. Johnson and Miss Lila Leigh, charged by the Law and Order League with participating in a theatrical performance on Sunday at Hawley's was argued. Their attorney admitted that the defendants participated in the performance, but held that in the letter of the law they were not guilty.

The information was filed under section 7033 a, which reads: "Whoever on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, participates in or exhibits any theatrical performance," etc. The defense argued that the absence of the comma between the words "in" and "or" creates the word "or" a conjunctive, and the sentence can be read "participates and exhibits," and not the actors, who are *pari-passu* without being exhibitors, the offense not being want to be done in the performance, but is in the giving of the performance.

Judge Fitzgerald took the matter under advisement. The question of the guilt of the actors in a performance has already been passed upon by Judges Longworth, Harmon, Avery and Higley, in the actor's favor. Should Judge Fitzgerald overrule the demurrer, they will plead guilty, and take an appeal.

CHATTANOOGA SUFFERERS

The Dupes of the Endowment and Benevolent Association.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 12.—Chattanooga is one of the heaviest sufferers by the collapse of the Mutual Self-Endowment and Benevolent association, which failed for several millions last week. The fact has developed that 105 policies of the association are held here, representing \$685,000 in the aggregate. Several thousand dollars have already been paid out in fees, dues, etc.

The policies are held by all classes of people, poor widows holding several. Steps have been taken by some of the policy holders to proceed against the officials of the company at Little Rock and Fort Worth for fraud. The officers are said to be men of wealth and influence. The feeling against Col. Whitehead, the general southern agent, is very strong and evidence is accumulating to show that the policy holders were injured into the company by false representations.

Taking a Rest.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12.—All reports from the Monongahela mining district are to the effect that everything is quiet among the strikers, although there is manifest uneasiness among the residents of the valley, but there are no indications of immediate trouble. The miners at Pine run, the scene of the last riot, are all at work again. The present rise in the Ohio river permitted a general clearance of coal in the harbor, about two million bushels having left for lower river markets.

Three Burglars Sentenced.

LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 12.—The jury in the case of Dick McNally, Israel Northimer and Edward Kurtz, three members of the Welsh mountain gang, who were charged with burglarizing the residence of Edward Linville, has agreed. McNally and Kurtz were convicted and sentenced to nine and a half years in the Eastern penitentiary. Northimer was acquitted on that charge, but convicted of the larceny of a lot of wheat. He received six and a half years.

The Underwriters' Association.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.—At the meeting of the Cincinnati Underwriters' association the annual election was held, and the following officers were chosen to serve for the ensuing year: President, J. A. Townsley, president Commercial Insurance company; vice president, J. M. DeCamp, of Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance company; treasurer, Karl F. Bendler, president Farmers' Insurance company; secretary, Charles R. Marshall.

After the Porcelain.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Mr. John Jameson, of Dublin, owner of the cutter Irex, has announced that he will challenge for the America's cup with his cutter Irex. The announcement came here by cable. The official challenge is expected to arrive by mail next week. With the Irex and the fastest British schooner, Miranda, recently bought by American yachtsmen, in our waters next season promises to be unusually brisk.

Mexican Anxiety.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 12.—Much concern is felt in the city of Mexico over the action of the American congress on the silver question, and the message of President Cleveland does not relieve but rather aggravates suspense. The price of silver is daily declining and it is feared that the bottom has not yet been reached. New York exchange has reached the enormous figure of 20 3/4 with prospects of even a greater rise.

Convict Strikers.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 12.—Trouble is reported in the Allister mines at Coal Hill. These mines are operated with convict labor and about one hundred of the convicts are on a strike. They want a greater supply of powder to shoot the coal than their attendant will allow. The prisoners have been in the mine all day. They refuse to send out any coal or permit any of the foremen to come in.

William E. Hooper Dead.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.—Mr. William E. Hooper, aged 75, the great manufacturer of cotton duck, died at his residence in this city. He was the owner of the immense cotton mills at Woodbury, and employed 1,500 people in his business. Woodbury is a town of about five thousand, nearly all of whom are supported by Mr. Hooper's mills.

One Hundred Thousand.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.—August Klausmyer, the defuncting bookseller of Spokan, Bad-Jake & Company, is now on his way to Europe, having left this city on November 30. Mr. Bad-Jake states that Klausmyer was \$10,000 short when he left.

A Change of Culprits.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—Rev. Charles Wood, of Albany, N. Y., has received a call to the First Presbyterian church of Germantown. Mr. Wood was at one time the pastor of the church attended by President Cleveland in Buffalo.